

# Bundy: 'We will continue to stand'

PORTLAND (AP) — The leader of a federal wildlife refuge takeover in Oregon said his group will "continue to stand" after he and six others were acquitted last week of charges in the case.

Ammon Bundy told *The Oregonian*/OregonLive in a phone call from the Multnomah County Detention Center on Monday that it was their duty to stand.

"We did it peacefully," Bundy said. "We did it legally, and the jury's verdicts confirmed that."

Bundy said the trial ended in "another example of the government not following the law" when U.S. marshals arrested his attorney for challenging the judge's order to keep him in custody.

Bundy remains in jail because he still faces charges in the 2014 standoff at his father's Nevada ranch. Bundy said he expects he and brother Ryan Bundy will be moved to Nevada on Tuesday.

U.S. marshals in Las Vegas wouldn't comment about plans for the move.

Ammon Bundy's attorney in Las Vegas, Daniel Hill, said he had no information about when the Bundy brothers would arrive.

But Hill said that once they do, he'll ask the court to release Ammon Bundy pending trial in February.



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Ryan Bundy is serving as his own lawyer. Angela Dows, an attorney appointed by the court to advise him, declined to comment without his authorization.

Ammon Bundy said in Oregon that he wasn't allowed any contact with his brother on Halloween, Ryan Bundy's 44th birthday.

"It's par for the course," he said.

Bundy, 41, of Emmett,

Idaho, testified that he proposed the armed takeover to draw attention to the case of two Oregon ranchers that he believes were unjustly imprisoned for setting fire to public land and to protest federal mismanagement of vast tracts of lands in the West.

He called for prosecutors to drop charges against other occupiers set for February trial on the same conspiracy charge.

Prosecutors have not said whether they will drop charges against the remaining defendants. Eleven people previously pleaded guilty to the conspiracy charge.

"There was no conspiracy," Bundy said. "It would be a waste of court time and resources."

# Feds targeted adoptee because of crimes

By ANDREW SELSKY  
Associated Press

SALEM — A man who was adopted as a 3-year-old from South Korea almost four decades ago and flown to America is in detention awaiting deportation because of "the severity of his criminal history," U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement said.

Adam Crapser was ordered deported last week back to a country that is completely alien to him. No one sought U.S. citizenship for him as he grew up in America, abandoned by one adoptive family, thrown into the foster care system and winding up with abusive parents. The lack of citizenship made him liable for deportation, especially after he built a criminal record.

ICE prioritizes immigration enforcement resources "on individuals who pose a threat to national security, public safety, and border security," Rose M. Richeson, spokeswoman for ICE's Seattle field office, said in a statement.

Richeson cited Adam Crapser's criminal history, including convictions for assault and being a felon in possession of a weapon. Crapser's immigration attorney said Monday that



In this March 2015, file photo, Korean adoptee Adam Crapser, left, poses with daughters, Christal and Christina and his wife, Anh Nguyen, in the family's living room in Vancouver, Wash. Crapser, who was adopted as a 3-year-old from South Korea almost four decades ago and flown to America, is in detention awaiting deportation because of "the severity of his criminal history," U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement has said.

her client's 1994 burglary offense — which served as a predicate for the "felon in possession" conviction — was for breaking back into the home of his criminally abusive second set of parents to retrieve two things that had come with him from the Korean orphanage.

Crapser has untreated post-traumatic stress disorder "from the trauma and abuse he suffered as a child," said attorney Lori Walls.

"Mr. Crapser served his time for his offenses," Walls said in an email to The Asso-

ciated Press. "Mr. Crapser was eligible for and deserved another chance."

The decision by a federal immigration judge last week not to give Crapser a reprieve for deportation was a big blow to his supporters, including some Korean Americans, several of whom were also adopted as babies or children.

Crapser decided not to appeal because the conditions in the immigration detention center in Tacoma, Washington, where he has been held since February, are so bad, his supporters say.

Richeson said Crapser was arrested by ICE on Feb. 8 after serving a 60-day sentence for menacing and attempted coercion. Walls said those crimes resulted from Crapser "spending 25 months incarcerated with untreated PTSD."

His immigration woes mirror those of thousands of others. The National Korean American Service & Education Consortium says an estimated 35,000 inter-country adoptees lack U.S. citizenship. It is backing legislation in Congress to address that issue.

Seven years after Crapser and his older sister were adopted, their parents abandoned them. The foster care system separated Crapser when he was 10 from his sister. He was housed at several foster and group homes. When Crapser was 12, he moved in with Thomas and Dolly Crapser, their biological son, two other adoptees and several foster children.

There, he was physically abused, Crapser said. In 1991, the couple was arrested on charges including physical child abuse.

Federal immigration officials say they became aware of Crapser after he applied for a green card for permanent residency.

## BRIEFLY

### La Nina weather could build up Oregon snowpack

ASHLAND (AP) — Forecasters are predicting a cooler, wetter weather pattern for the Pacific Northwest this winter.

*The Mail Tribune* reports that the National Weather Service says there is a 70 percent chance that there'll be winter conditions not seen in the Siskiyou Mountain range for five years. That would be good news for the Mt. Ashland Ski Area.

La Nina weather patterns typically bring a good snowpack to the region, and Mt. Ashland ski area manager Hiram Towle says he hopes that will hold true this year.

The ski area plans to open Dec. 10, but it might open early if conditions allow.

The weather service says the long-range forecast, however, calls for warmer-than-average temperatures for the next three months.

### Oregon biologists research bighorn sheep illness

BEND (AP) — Wildlife officials in Oregon are looking for ways to prevent pneumonia in bighorn sheep.

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife has placed monitoring collars on dozens of wild sheep and will collar more in the coming months, reported *The Bulletin*. The department is keeping track of the animals' deaths and completing blood and genetic testing.

Bacteria picked up from domestic sheep and goats can lead to pneumonia in bighorn sheep, a disease that has killed a large number of the animals in the West in the past few years. The respiratory pathogen doesn't cause the domestic animals to get sick.

"When wild sheep get it,

it's pretty devastating," said Autumn Larkins, assistant district wildlife biologist and sheep capture boss for ODFW.

Larkins said researching the bacterial species is a priority because it has the potential to wipe out the entire state's bighorn population. Just last year, it caused a herd of 150 in Malheur County's Leslie Gulch to drop to only 30.

Nevada officials killed about two dozen wild sheep earlier this year as a way to keep the disease from spreading. Similar kills have taken place in Washington, Utah and Canada in the past to protect healthy herds.

Bighorn sheep didn't evolve with the bacteria, which can cause pneumonia with infected lungs, coughing and runny eyes and noses. Female sheep that survive the illness can also pass it on to babies that can't survive it, said state wildlife veterinarian Colin Gillin.

### Family of man who died falling off deck settles suit

PORTLAND (AP) — The family of a 77-year-old man who died after falling while trying to step onto a deck has agreed to settle its lawsuit against a Seaside vacation condominium.

*The Oregonian*/OregonLive reports that the family of David Lloyd Roach dropped its \$4.3 million lawsuit in exchange for \$37,500. The civil trial had been set to start last week in Multnomah County Circuit Court.

Roach was renting several units in the oceanfront vacation condo complex in August 2013 when he tried to step from the grass onto the deck of one of the units. The deck was 14 inches off the ground. Roach stubbed his toe on the deck, fell backward and struck his head. He died as a result of his injuries.

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## AccuWeather.com Forecast

TODAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Partly sunny	Partly sunny and nice	Sunshine and patchy clouds	Partly sunny and delightful	Cooler with spotty showers

PENDLETON TEMPERATURE FORECAST				
65°	45°	62°	39°	58°
45°	39°	39°	42°	38°

HERMISTON TEMPERATURE FORECAST				
65°	44°	64°	39°	58°
44°	39°	39°	42°	36°

## ALMANAC

### PENDLETON

through 3 p.m. yesterday

### TEMPERATURE

HIGH LOW

Yesterday 60° 44°

Normals 56° 36°

Records 76° (1901) 12° (1935)

### PRECIPITATION

24 hours ending 3 p.m. Trace

Month to date 0.00"

Normal month to date 0.04"

Year to date 10.39"

Last year to date 6.63"

Normal year to date 10.07"

### HERMISTON

through 3 p.m. yesterday

### TEMPERATURE

HIGH LOW

Yesterday 64° 39°

Normals 58° 35°

Records 72° (1988) 8° (2003)

### PRECIPITATION

24 hours ending 3 p.m. Trace

Month to date 0.00"

Normal month to date 0.03"

Year to date 7.33"

Last year to date 4.59"

Normal year to date 7.34"

### SUN AND MOON

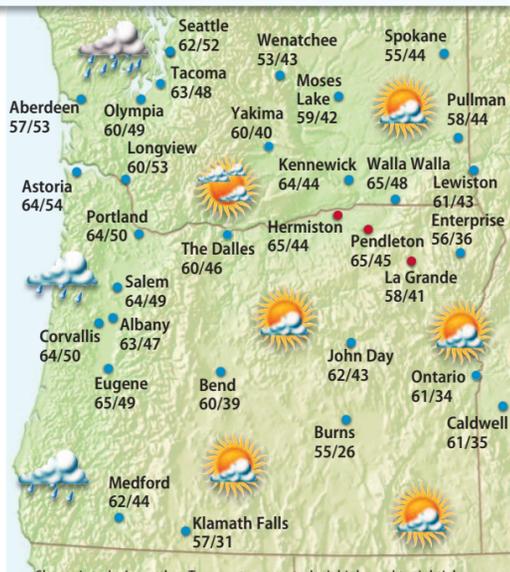
Sunrise today 7:37 a.m.

Sunset tonight 5:40 p.m.

Moonrise today 10:10 a.m.

Moonset today 7:55 p.m.

Nov 7 Nov 14 Nov 21 Nov 29



## REGIONAL FORECAST

Coastal Oregon: A little rain today; any time across the north, during the afternoon elsewhere.

Eastern and Central Oregon: Partly sunny today; pleasant in the south.

Western Washington: Periods of rain today; any time at the coast, in the afternoon elsewhere.

Eastern Washington: Clouds and sun today. Mostly cloudy tonight; a shower in spots in the north.

Cascades: Times of clouds and sun today; not as cool in central parts. A little rain tonight.

Northern California: Some sun today. Partly cloudy tonight. Partly sunny tomorrow; pleasant in central parts.

## REGIONAL CITIES

	Today			Thu.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Astoria	64	54	r	65	48	c
Baker City	54	34	pc	56	28	s
Bend	60	39	pc	60	35	pc
Brookings	61	52	pc	62	50	pc
Burns	55	26	pc	58	24	s
Enterprise	56	36	pc	58	34	s
Eugene	65	49	sh	63	44	pc
Heppner	64	42	pc	63	37	pc
Hermiston	65	44	pc	64	39	pc
John Day	62	43	pc	63	39	pc
Klamath Falls	57	31	pc	60	29	pc
La Grande	58	41	pc	61	36	s
Meacham	57	40	pc	60	35	s
Medford	62	44	pc	65	41	pc
Newport	63	53	r	62	49	pc
North Bend	67	52	r	65	48	pc
Ontario	61	34	pc	58	30	s
Pasco	62	44	pc	64	40	pc
Pendleton	65	45	pc	62	39	pc
Portland	64	50	r	65	47	pc
Redmond	62	36	pc	63	34	pc
Salem	64	49	c	63	44	pc
Spokane	55	44	pc	56	40	pc
Ukiah	60	37	pc	61	33	pc
Vancouver	62	51	r	64	46	pc
Walla Walla	65	48	pc	62	44	pc
Yakima	60	40	pc	62	40	pc

## WORLD CITIES

	Today			Thu.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Beijing	57	29	s	58	34	s
Hong Kong	79	68	s	78	70	s
Jerusalem	66	52	pc	68	52	s
London	50	35	pc	51	41	c
Mexico City	74	53	pc	72	52	pc
Moscow	26	25	pc	34	31	sn
Paris	54	33	pc	51	36	pc
Rome	70	60	pc	69	55	t
Seoul	50	41	s	57	42	s
Sydney	74	58	c	77	60	s
Tokyo	56	52	c	62	53	r

## WINDS

(in mph)	Today	Thursday
Boardman	NE 3-6	SSE 3